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ELECTION IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action (restriction) mailed June 29 2007, Applicant elects, without traverse, species 1. Species 1 corresponds to figures 1, 2, 4a - 4c, and 5a - 5c. Claims 1 - 14 and 17 - 27 read on species 1.

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